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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Miriyala

Attorney Docket No.: CISCPI09C1/7872

Application No.: 10/603,500

Examiner: SOL, ANTHONY M

Filed: June 24, 2003

Group: 2616

Title: FLEXIBLE SCHEDULING OF  
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.  
The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	42	MINUS	42	00	x 25 =	x 50 = 00
Independent Claims	07	MINUS	07	00	x 100 =	x 200 = 00
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid						
One Month Extension of Time						\$120.00
Total					\$	\$120.00

- ☒ Applicant(s) hereby petitions for a one month extension(s) of time to respond to the  
aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is  
determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension  
be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time  
under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the  
enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. CISCPI09C1).

Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT A**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 20, 2007, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated in the following pages.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.